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MILLAR! ROMITA! BACK IN COSTUME!
BACK TO WHAT HE DOES BEST!

WOLVERINE #20 & #21

Written by MARK MILLAR

Pencils & Wraparound Cover by JOHN ROMITA JR.

"ENEMY OF THE STATE" PART 1 & 2 (OF 6)

The world's deadliest living weapon just fell into the wrong hands. It's Wolverine vs. the Marvel Universe in a blockbuster storyline that will have Logan shredding his way through the X-Men, Avengers, Fantastic Four, and S.H.I.E.L.D.! How does Wolverine end up fighting to destroy everything he holds dear? In this issue alone: Nick Fury, Elektra, Kitty Pryde, and a new villain you've got to see to believe! GET READY FOR THE RIDE OF YOUR LIFE!

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X-MEN: WOLVERINE'S 30TH ANNIVERSARY

WOLVERINE # 20 WRAP-AROUND COVER

THE GREATEST THING SINCE SLICED BREAD!

Cover to Uncanny X-Men #450

UNCANNY X-MEN #450 & #451

Written by CHRIS CLAREMONT
Pencils & Cover by ALAN DAVIS

"THE CRUELEST CUT" PARTS 1 & 2 (OF 2)

Wolverine's 30th Anniversary Celebration starts off with a bang as the X-Men investigate some mysterious murders in New York City. All the victims seem to have been cut to pieces by blades—Adamantium blades! But if Wolverine didn't murder these people...then who did?!

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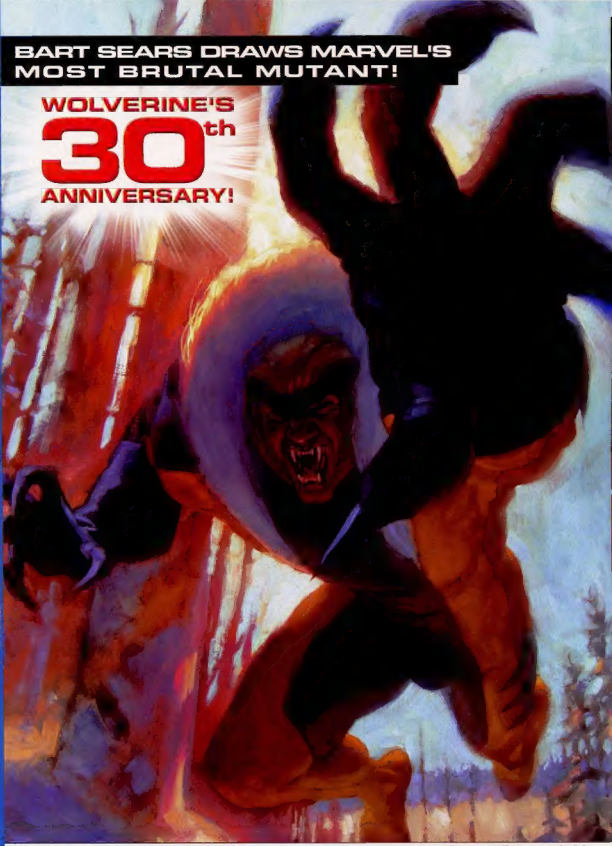
COVER TO UNCANNY X-MEN #451

BART SEARS DRAWS MARVEL'S MOST BRUTAL MUTANT!

WOLVERINE'S 30th ANNIVERSARY!



Cover to Sabretooth #1

SABRETOOTH #1 & #2 (OF 5)

Written by DANIEL WAY
Penciled by BART SEARS
Cover by PAOLO RIVERA

PARTS 1 & 2 (OF 5)

The most brutal villain in the Marvel Universe returns! But has he gone too far this time? Did Sabretooth destroy an entire island of innocent humans? And what will happen when the U.S. Military tries to bring him down? Will they succeed – or pay the ultimate price?

Guest appearance by SASQUATCH!! Yes, SASQUATCH!

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That day, Logan recalled, had gotten off to a bad start. Logan resented the trip to the gunrunner's garage to collect his cut of the profits. But when he saw the sneer on St. Exeter's face, Logan knew things were going to get much worse.

The gunrunner leaned against a crate of fragmentation grenades, his Prada suit incongruous in the junkyard setting. "I didn't think you'd have the guts to show up here, Logan. Not after your connection failed to deliver the goods." St. Exeter pushed back his hair with a delicate, manicured hand. Logan met the man's gaze.

"You're spewing crap, Rene. I know for a fact that those air-to-airs are already in the pipeline to your 'clients' in Latin America."

"Perhaps. But the weapons were of…inferior quality."

"The Pentagon would be surprised to learn that, considering they were all state-of-the-art Stinger missiles."

As Logan spoke, two of St. Exeter's bodyguards entered the garage behind him. Two more, in greasy overalls, climbed out of a repair pit and moved to flank him. Half-smile in place, Rene stared at Logan with eyes like black holes.
"You're not gonna pay."

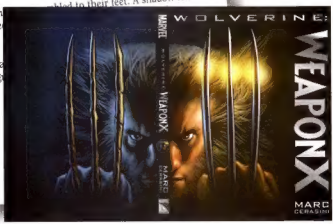
Suddenly the grease monkey on Logan's left pulled a wrench out of his stained coveralls. Stupid. Logan lashed out, striking the man with enough force to drive his jawbone into his brain. A grunt, and the mechanic toppled. Logan snatched the tool from his dead hand before the man struck the ground. Dodging a bullet fired at point blank range, Logan spun and hurled the wrench at the man who pulled the trigger. A crunch of bone, a splash of red, and the man's head jerked back. As he fell, the Magnum dropped from his hand and landed at Logan's feet.

Logan ducked a wild shot, then snapped up the handgun. He fired without aiming — a lucky shot. The bullet clipped the second bodyguard's throat. Gurgling, he went down, to clutch at his neck in a widening pool on the concrete floor. Finally, Logan's luck ran out. The last of Rene's bodyguards charged, pushing Logan and himself into the repair pit.

At the bottom of the concrete well, both[illegible] to their feet. A shadow fell over them. Logan looked up in time to see

"Catch, mon ami."

Logan snatched the grenade out of the a[illegible] the ladder. "Where you goin'?" Logan g[illegible] jammed the grenade into his gut.



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THE 1ST RELEASE FROM MARVEL PRESS!

WOLVERINE: WEAPON X PROSE HARDCOVER

Written by MARC CERASINI
Cover by GREG LAND & RICHARD ISANOVE

Author Marc Cerasini (*O.J. Simpson: American Hero, American Tragedy*), has seen the *New York Times* Best-seller list. Now, he turns his gaze to the debut of MARVEL PRESS, the new prose imprint for the House of Ideas, by telling the story of Weapon X. This all-new adult-fiction prose novel relates the cruel story of Logan's transformation into Wolverine, as seen through the eyes of his tormentors.

As Logan manages to free himself from his captors, a brutal wave of violence affects all those involved. From the bloody aftermath of Logan's transformation, all involved in the Weapon X program endure their own personal change… via guilt, ambition, and humanity. Can anyone survive the carnage of this bioengineering team's twisted dream? Chances are slim, as the lines between man, beast, and monster are blurred for all the players in this closed experiment.

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WOLVERINE
Real Name: James Howlett, a.k.a. Logan
Known Aliases: Weapon Ten, Death, Mutate #9601, Jim Logan, Patch, Canuckhead, Emiko Gara, Weapon Chi, Weapon X, Experiment X, Agent Ten, Canada, Wildboy, Peter Richards, various others
Identity: Known to certain government agencies
Occupation: Adventurer; former bartender, bouncer, spy, government operative, mercenary, soldier, tailor, miner, various others
Citizenship: Canadian citizenship, possible dual citizenship in Japan, no known criminal record
Place of Birth: Alberta, Canada
Marital Status: Divorced
Known Relatives: John Howlett (father, deceased); Elizabeth Howlett (mother, deceased); James Howlett, Jr. (brother, deceased); unnamed grandfather (deceased); Viper (ex-wife); Amiko (foster daughter); Krista (son)
Group Affiliations: X-Men; formerly the Canadian Armed Forces, Team X/Weapon X Program, Department K, Department H, the Flight, Clan Yashida, Fantastic Four, Secret Defenders, Horsemen of Apocalypse, pethaps others
Education: Privately tutored as a child, otherwise unrevealed
History: The man now known as Wolverine was born James Howlett in Alberta, Canada, circa 1892, the second son of wealthy landowners John and Elizabeth Howlett. A frail boy of poor health, James was largely neglected by his mother, who was institutionalized for a time following the death of her first son, James Jr., in 1897. During his youth, James befriended a young girl named Rose, brought from Ireland to be his companion, and a youth known only as Dog, the son of the Howlett groundskeeper, Thomas Logan. However, as the three matured, Dog grew increasingly obsessed with Rose, and in 1907 he assaulted her prompting John Howlett to fire Thomas and evict the Logans from the estate.
Thomas Logan and Dog returned to the mansion the following night in an attempt to convince Elizabeth Howlett, with whom Thomas was having an affair, to accompany them; when their encounter was interrupted by others in the household, Thomas shot and killed John Howlett in the presence of James and Rose. The shock of his father's death caused James to manifest latent mutant abilities, extending bone claws from his hands and tapering into a bestial state, in which condition he slew Thomas Logan and scarred Dog's face. Driven into hysteria by these events, Elizabeth drove James from the estate and committed suicide shortly thereafter.
Art by Salvador Larroca

OFFICIAL HANDBOOK OF THE MARVEL UNIVERSE: WOLVERINE 2004

Written by ERIC J. MOREELS & RONALD BYRD

Cardstock Cover by SALVADOR LARROCA & RICHARD ISANOVE

The Mighty Marvel Handbook collides with everyone's favorite mutant! Featuring the most comprehensive profile of Wolverine ever committed to print, OHOTMUWO4 also includes in-depth bios on more than 25 of the feral X-Man's friends and foes — from Amiko to Yukio. Plus: exhaustive entries on Adamantium, Alpha Flight, Madripoor and Weapon X — and an all-new cover by superstar artist Salvador Larroca, digitally painted by Richard Isanove!

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X-MEN #163
Written by CHUCK AUSTEN
Pencils & Cover by SALVADOR LARROCA
"HEROES AND VILLAINS" PART 3 (OF 4)
The Xavier Institute is under attack by The New Brotherhood of Mutants! With the X-Men down for the count, the only ally the students have to help keep these villains at bay is a blind Gambit!
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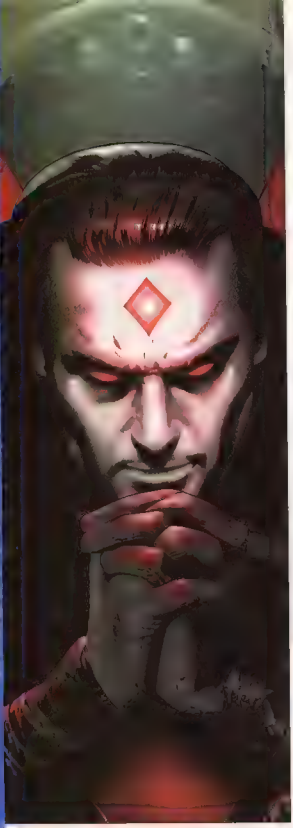

X-MEN: THE END: BOOK ONE – DREAMERS AND DEMONS #4 (of 6)
Written by CHRIS CLAREMONT
Penciled by SEAN CHEN
Cover by GREG LAND
"DREAMERS AND DEMONS" PART 4 (OF 6)
It's the last stand of X-Force as an old foe of the X-teams emerges from the unlikeliest of places to join the assault!
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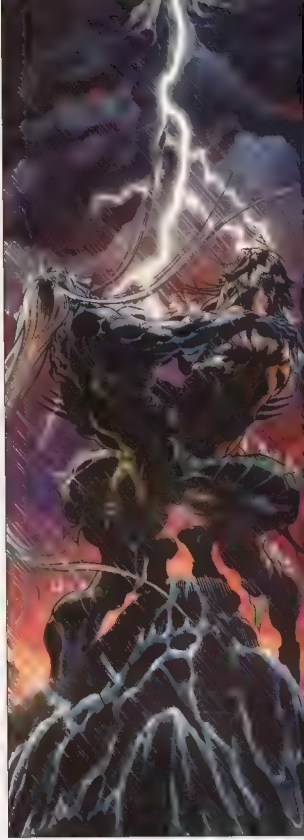

WOLVERINE: THE END #6 (OF 6)
Written by PAUL JENKINS
Pencils & Cover by CLAUDIO CASTELLINI
PART 6 (of 6)
He's found his last living relation. Now, will the man called Logan be forced to kill his only connection to his lost past? Or will he himself face his final day?
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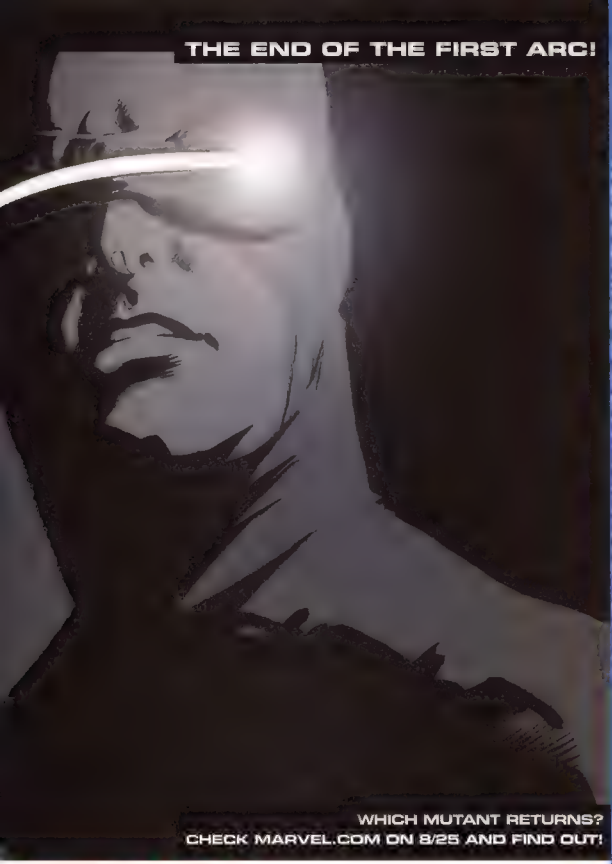

ASTONISHING X-MEN #6
Written by JOSS WHEDON
Art & Cover by JOHN CASSADAY
"GIFTED" PART 6 (OF 6)
Outnumbered and outgunned, the X-Men are finally brought together as a team by their newest addition – but are they too late to stop the "Cure" from destroying mutantkind? If you haven't read Astonishing X-Men – if you're the one – then read it now! After the events of issue #5 – and its shocking return of a classic character – you MUST not miss another issue!
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NEW X-MEN #6

Written by NUNZIO DEFILIPPIS & CHRISTINA WEIR
Penciled by MICHAEL RYAN
Cover by RANDY GREEN

"CHOOSING SIDES" PART 6 (OF 6)

The battle over the fate of young Kevin Ford turns explosive as the New Mutants go head-to-head with the Hellions! Loyalties betrayed! New alliances formed! And a new romance that doesn't quite fit under school policy.

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EXCALIBUR #6

Written by CHRIS CLAREMONT
Penciled by AARON LOPRESTI
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"FOOD FIGHT" PART 2 (OF 3)

As Professor Xavier and Magneto cobble together the fragile pieces of the once-proud island nation of Genosha, hostile outside forces attempt to undo all that they have accomplished!

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NIGHTCRAWLER #2
Written by ROBERTO AGUIRRE-SACASA
Penciled by DARICK ROBERTSON
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"DIABOLIQUE" PART 2 (OF 4)
Nightcrawler's first day investigating the strange deaths of thirteen children has not gone well—and the only surviving witness is terrified by the sight of him! Does he have what it takes to get to the bottom of this mystery and more importantly, is he strong enough to take on the sinister forces behind it once he does?
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X-FORCE #3
Written by FABIAN NICIEZA
Pencils & Cover by ROB LIEFELD
PART 3 (OF 6)
Cable vs. Cannonball...and more on the mysterious Jon Spectre!
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CABLE/DEADPOOL #8
Written by FABIAN NICIEZA
Pencils & Cover by PATRICK ZIRCHER
"THE PASSION OF THE CABLE" PART 2 (OF 6)
The world's Powers That Be — religious, corporate, political and superhuman — don't take kindly to a NEW Power That Is — Cable! Can Deadpool find a way to stop Cable from saving the world before Earth's Mightiest Heroes take a shot at it? Probably not...
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STARJAMMERS #5 (of 6)
Written by KEVIN J. ANDERSON
Penciled by JORGE LUCAS
Cover by TOMMY OHTSUKA
"THE CADET AND THE CORSAIRS" PART 5 (OF 5)
The time has come for both Tolo and the Starjammers to decide where their loyalties lie – and what they're going to do about it!
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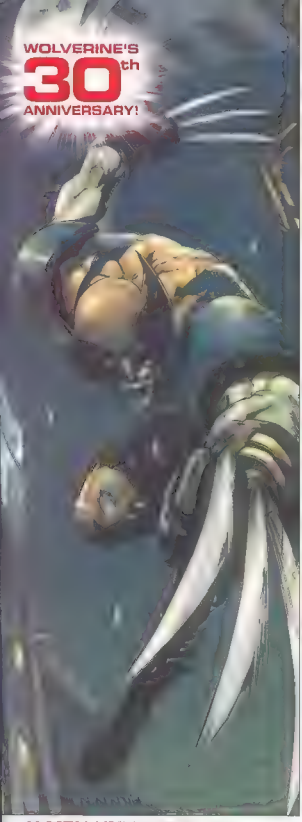

X-MEN UNLIMITED #5

Written by SCOTT KILLINGER & VITO DELSANTE
Penciled by LEE FERGUSON
Cover by PAT LEE

In celebration of his 30th Anniversary, this issue of X-MEN UNLIMITED features two Wolverine stories! In "Follow the Leader," Wolverine is taught a lesson by.. William Shakespeare? In "Bar Stools," a night out turns strange when Wolverine crosses paths with some colorful barflies!

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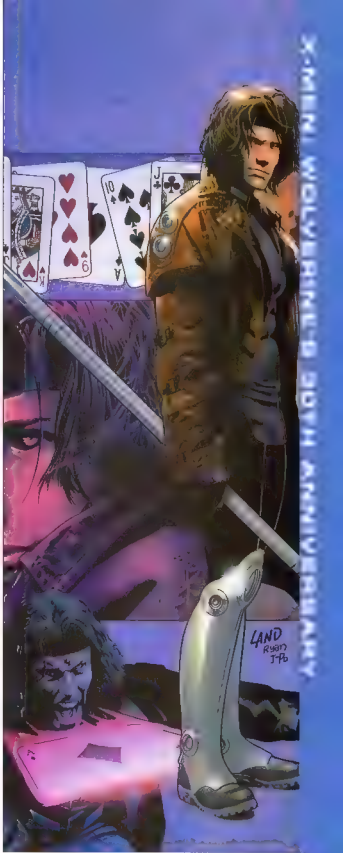

GAMBIT #3

Written by JOHN LAYMAN
Penciled by GEORGES JEANTY
Cover by GREG LAND

"HOUSE OF CARDS" PART 3 (OF 6)

The time has arrived for the Big Heist—and Gambit's never been more ready! What he doesn't know is that he's not the only one who's got his eye on the prize!

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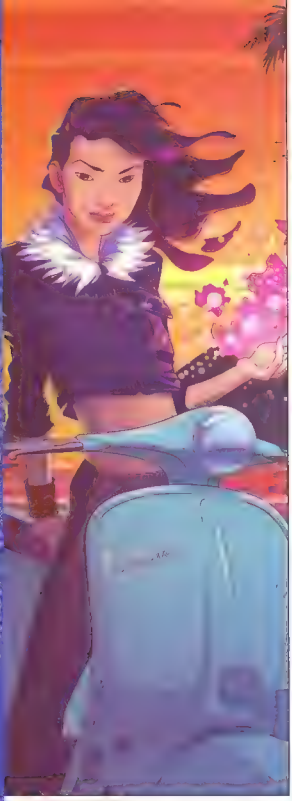

JUBILEE #2
Written by ROBERT KIRKMAN
Penciled by DEREC DONOVAN
Cover by CASEY JONES
PART 1 (OF 1)
Get ready for fast times at Payton-Noble High School! Jubilee's come back to California, and the local prep squad had better watch out! She's got explosive mutant powers and an attitude to match, but when her new best friend and P.N.H.S.'s #1 nerd, Meg Devereux, gets labeled as a snitch, can Jubilee help before Meg's identity crisis goes to red-alert?
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EXILES #53
Written by TONY BEDARD
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"LIVING PLANET" PART 2 (OF 2)
Ego the Living Planet – a father?! It's up to the Exiles, the Avengers, and the Fantastic Four to keep the Earth from becoming Ego Junior!
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EMMA FROST #16
Written by KARL BOLLERS
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Cover by GREG HORN
"BLOOM" PART 4 (OF 6)
For the second time in her life, Emma's mutant powers of telepathy are blossoming – but this time, she has someone to help her learn how to control them! But can she trust the motives of this new friend?
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ROGUE #4
Written by ROB RODI
Penciled by CLIFF RICHARDS
Cover by RODOLFO MIGLIARI
"GOING ROGUE" PART 4 (OF 6)
Rogue's search for her long-lost mother has turned into a nightmare—literally. But now, the world around her is starting to be affected by the forces she's stirred up...and the only person she can turn to for help has deceived her at every turn!
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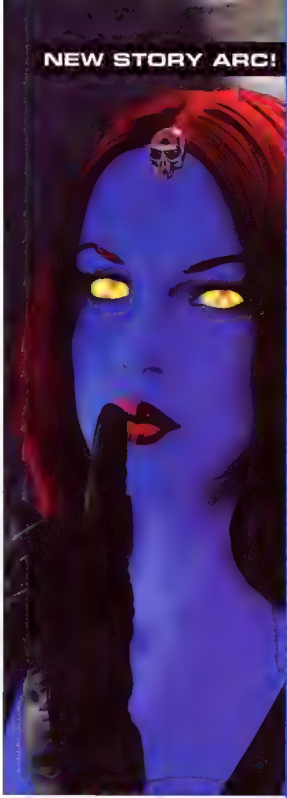

MYSTIQUE #20
Written by SEAN MCKEEVER
Penciled by MANUEL GARCIA
Cover by MIKE MAYHEW
"QUIET" PART 1 (OF 5)
This is it! The Quiet Man's identity is finally revealed in this series-shifting, mind-bending first part of a new arc! Mystique is sent on a mission to find Shortpack, who has mysteriously vanished. But Mystique has enough on her mind already – she has to figure out how to assassinate Professor Charles Xavier! The spy you love kicks off another arc, with the stakes even higher!
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Cover to Ultimate Spider-Man #66

ULTIMATE SPIDER-MAN #66 & #67
Written by BRIAN MICHAEL BENDIS
Pencils & Cover by MARK BAGLEY
"SWITCHEROO" PARTS 1 & 2 (OF 2)
A bizarre occurrence brings Spider-Man and Wolverine together for the weirdest team-up in super-hero history! As the two struggle to unravel this mystery, their lives literally unravel. Why are both heroes too concerned with their own lives to work together? Strap yourself in, True Believer, it's all part of the ride you get when you buy a ticket for THE TEAM-UP FOR PEOPLE WHO HATE TEAM-UPS!
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COVER TO ULTIMATE SPIDER-MAN #67

ULTIMATE NIGHTMARE #3 (OF 5)
Written by WARREN ELLIS
Pencils & Cover by TREVOR HAIRSINE
There's something under the Tunguska Wasteland, where a comet crashed a century ago. The Ultimates and the X-Men have entered it from different sides, unaware of each other—and unaware of what's waiting for them. There's something under the Tunguska Wasteland, where a comet crashed a century ago.
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THE CLIMAX TO ELLIS & IMMONEN'S ARC!

ULTIMATE FANTASTIC FOUR #12

Written by WARREN ELLIS

Pencils & Cover by STUART IMMONEN

"DOOM" PART 6 (OF 6)

The Fantastic Four have tracked Victor Van Damme down to the "Free State" he's formed in the middle of Copenhagen. But Van Damme has an army and the Fantastic Four only have themselves

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ULTIMATE ELEKTRA #3 (OF 5)

Written by MIKE CAREY
Pencils & Cover by SALVADOR LARROCA

"DEVILS DUE" PART 3 (OF 5)

Elektra comes face to face with a classic Marvel villain never before seen in the Ultimate Universe! Is she on-target thinking she can face this deadly killer alone?! Matt Murdock doesn't think so. Sparks are sure to fly when comics' hottest couple is reunited!

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ULTIMATE X-MEN #52

Written by BRIAN K. VAUGHAN
Pencils and Cover by ANDY KUBERT

"CRY WOLF" PART 3 (OF 4)

It's the Ultimate X-Men versus the Fenris twins – with Rogue and Gambit in the middle! The Fenris twins threaten to expose Gambit's past sins – and they are legion – unless he obeys them. But, with Rogue on the other side, to whom will the Ragin' Cajun finally lend his loyalty?

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STOKER'S DRACULA # 1 (OF 4)

Written by ROY THOMAS
Art & Cardstock Cover by DICK GIORDANO

PART 1 (OF 4)

30 years later, comics legends Roy Thomas and Dick Giordano reunite to at last complete their unfinished B&W ink-wash adaptation of Bram Stoker's classic tale of vampire horror, *Dracula*! Originally serialized in Marvel horror magazines *Vampire Tales* and *Legion of Monsters*, their meticulous retelling of Bram Stoker's tale of Gothic horror has been found in the Marvel tombs, and will at last be unleashed upon the daylight! Every 6 weeks, another issue will arise!

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And for more vampire action, turn to page 70!

NEW STORY ARC!

DAREDEVIL #66
Written by BRIAN MICHAEL BENDIS
Pencils & Cover by ALEX MALEEV
"GOLDEN AGE" PART 1 (OF 4)
Leaping off the pages of last month's anniversary special, we follow Matt Murdock through a story that literally spans the entire history of Marvel. Who was the Kingpin before the Kingpin and what was his relationship to Matt Murdock? Find out right here. The multi-award-winning team is again nominated for the 2004 Eisner Awards in a plethora of categories. When these cats say, "major new story arc" we say, "DON'T MISS IT!"
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MARVEL KNIGHTS SPIDER-MAN #7

Written by MARK MILLAR

Pencils & Cover by TERRY DODSON

"VENOMOUS" PART 3 (OF 4)

This month in the year's hottest release: Things get worse! Everyone's favorite symbiote is back – as only Millar and superstar Terry Dodson could envision him. Hold on to your spit, there's a beatdown coming for at least one guy with a spider on his chest!

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HULK & THING: HARD KNOCKS #2 (OF 4)
Written by BRUCE JONES
Pencils and Cardstock Cover by JAE LEE
"HARD KNOCKS" PART 2 (OF 4)
It's clobbering ti-OOF! Bruce Jones and superstar artist Jae Lee bring you round two between Marvel's two most powerful sluggers. Think you know everything about the unique relationship between this pair? Guess again. Please note: HULK & THING replaces the Incredible Hulk ongoing series for four months, so don't miss a single punch!
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DISTRICT X #6

Written by DAVID HINE
Penciled by DAVID YARDIN
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"MR. M" PART 6 (OF 6)

The explosive conclusion to Bishop's very first case in District X! Bishop and Ismael have their final showdown with the mysterious Mr. M!

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MADROX #2 (of 5)

Written by PETER DAVID
Penciled by PABLO RAIMONDI
Cover by DAVID LLOYD

PART 2 (OF 5)

The murder of one of Madrox's dupes sends the original Jamie on a quest to the Windy City of Chicago to determine just who was responsible... unaware that Clay, the assassin who killed his dupe, is still stalking him, determined to finish the job.

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MARVEL KNIGHTS 4 #11

Written by ROBERTO AGUIRRE-SACASA
Penciled by JIM MUNIZ
Cover by STEVE MCNIVEN

"THE STUFF OF DREAMS" PART 2 (OF 3)

With a diseased Psycho-Man loose somewhere in the city, the very fabric of New York's reality is unraveling at a frightening rate. While Susan hunts their old foe, the rest of the Fantastic Four try to stem the tide of hysteria threatening to destroy Manhattan

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BLADE Vs. DRACULA! 'Nuff Said!

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TOMB OF DRACULA #1

Written by ROBERT RODI (with Bruce Jones)
Penciled by JAMIE TOLAGSON
Cover by BILL SIENKIEWICZ

PART 1 (OF 5)

Every thousand years, Dracula enters a chrysalis state for four days, leaving him in a vulnerable state. During this time the most powerful vampires from around the world gather in Transylvania to protect him. Now they are about to be joined by an eclectic team of vampire slayers that have gathered to take down the legendary Vampire King – including the best and most dangerous slayer of them all – Blade!

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BLACK WIDOW #2 (OF 5)
Written by RICHARD K. MORGAN
Art by GORAN PARLOV
& BILL SIENKIEWICZ
Cover by GREG LAND
PART 2 (of 5)
No matter what she does to get out of the spy game, Natasha's past keeps catching up with her. With the help of a retired agent from her old S.H.I.E.L.D. days, the Black Widow investigates the murder of a woman and makes a startling discovery. But will she be killed before she has time to follow her only lead? Written by breakout sci-fi author Richard K. Morgan, winner of the 2004 Philip K. Dick Award, with cinematic storytelling by Goran Parlov (Y-The Last Man) and comics legend Bill Sienkiewicz.
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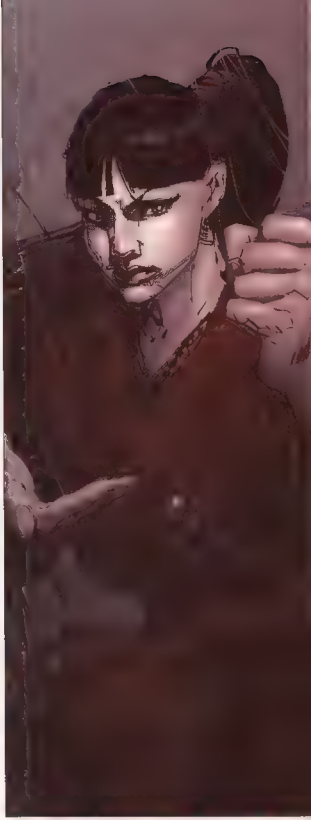

ELEKTRA: THE HAND #3 (OF 5)
Written by AKIRA YOSHIDA
Penciled by CHRIS GOSSETT
Cover by BILL SIENKIEWICZ
"THE FIRST IMPRESSION" PART 3 (of 5)
As The Hand's power continues to grow, Kagenobu Yoshioka's grasp on Japan tightens. But when he begins teaching their secret martial arts knowledge and mystic skills to the young Elza Martinez, all of Yoshioka's careful planning threatens to come undone.
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Written by J. MICHAEL STRACZYNSKI & SARA "SAMM" BARNES
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BULLSEYE: GREATEST HITS #2 (of 5)
Written by DANIEL WAY
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PART 2 (OF 5)
The untold story of Daredevil's ultimate nemesis is revealed at last! And who thought being bad could be so much fun? Featuring timely cameos by Daredevil, Elektra, the Kingpin and the Punisher!
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STEVE DILLON RETURNS!
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AMAZING SPIDER-MAN #513
Written by J. MICHAEL STRACZYNSKI
Pencils & Cover by MIKE DEODATO JR.
"SINS PAST" PART 5 (OF 5)
The worst defeat that Peter Parker ever endured — a moment frozen in the minds of Spider-Man fans everywhere — was supposed to be far in his past. But now, two villains — ripped, perhaps, directly from that very moment — have emerged, and they threaten to destroy everything that he holds dear!
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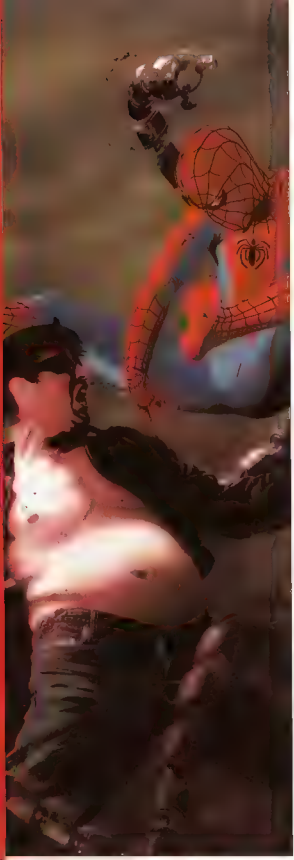

SPIDER-MAN/DOCTOR OCTOPUS: YEAR ONE #5 (of 5)
Written by ZEB WELLS
Pencils & Cover by KAARE ANDREWS
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VENOM VS. CARNAGE #4 (of 4)
Written by PETER MILLIGAN
Art & Cover by CLAYTON CRAIN
It's a symbiote battle royale as Venom, Carnage and their new offspring – Toxin – go head-to-head in the teeth-shattering climax to this new arc. But can Spider-Man bring peace to these three family members before they destroy New York?!
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PART 5 (OF 6)

It's make-it or break-it time for Marvel's newest heroine when her mentor throws this babe into the woods – literally. Anya's personal past and professional future collide in a moment of truth featuring her biggest obstacle yet. It's a final exam with life-and-death stakes. Everything you've seen has been building up to this point. Don't miss out!

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Penciled by SHANE DAVIS
Cover by MICHAEL RYAN

"THE GROTESQUE ADVENTURES OF THE GREEN GOBLIN"

Spider-Man goes Hollywood! The Wall-Crawler is offered the chance to star in his very own motion picture but things aren't what they seem! Who is the Green Goblin and what does he want with our Friendly Neighborhood Spider-Man? It's Spider-Man's first run-in with his greatest foe and the Green Goblin has brought along some friends. . The Enforcers! How will Spider-Man survive a showdown in the desert? And where does the Hulk fit in?

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MARVEL AGE SPIDER-MAN #14

Written by MIKE RAICHT
Penciled by JAMAL IGLE
Cover by ROGER CRUZ

"KRAVEN THE HUNTER"

The world's greatest big game hunter has come to New York City to stalk his newest prey. Will Spider-Man be up to the challenge? And if going up against Kraven isn't enough, the Chameleon is set to strike if Kraven fails! But even if he does beat the bad guys, will Peter Parker make it home in time for his blind date with new neighbor Mary Jane Watson? It's two times the trouble for Spidey in the New York jungle!

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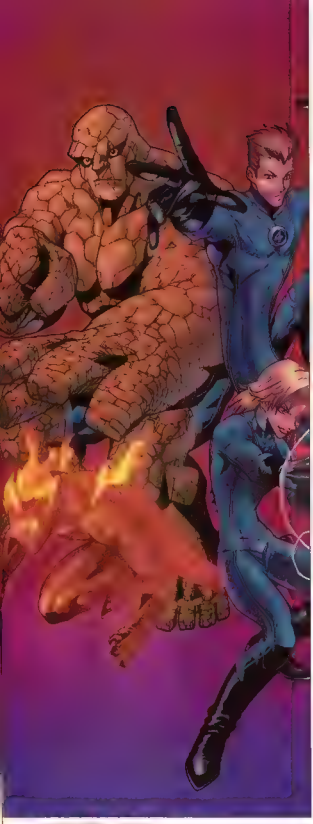

MARVEL AGE FANTASTIC FOUR #7
Written by JOHN LAYMAN
Penciled by UDON'S RYAN OOAGAWA
Cover by MAKOTO NAKATSUKA
An unstoppable robot from a doomed world prepares Earth for invasion! With the public caught in the grip of alien mind-control technology, the Fantastic Four have no choice but to make a desperate trip into space to stop the "Invaders from Planet X"!
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SPIDER-GIRL #76
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Pencils & Cover by RON FRENZ
"IF THIS BE MY DESTINY—!"
Spider-Girl learns the fate Norman Osborn planned for his grandson when she finally uncovers the secret of the woman who claims to be Normie's wife. Plus — at long last — Normie chooses between Raptor and Spider-Girl!
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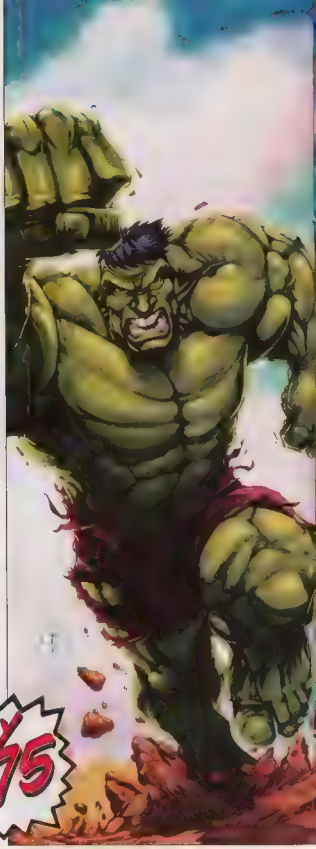

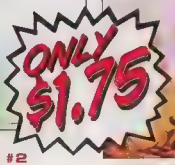

MARVEL AGE SPIDER-MAN TEAM-UP #2
Written by TODD DEZAGO
Penciled by LOU KANG
Cover by RANDY GREEN
Spider-Man gets the thrill of a lifetime as he meets the living legend of World War II, Captain America! Webs spin and shields fly as Cap and everybody's favorite wall-crawler come face to face with the Grey Gargoyle and the nefarious schemes of AIM!
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MARVEL AGE HULK #2
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On the road and on the run, Bruce Banner encounters a family in desperate need of help. But no good deed goes unpunished – when a mysterious man hunts them down, it's up to the Hulk to protect them.
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MARVEL AGE SENTINEL VOL. 2: NO HERO DIGEST

Written by SEAN MCKEEVER
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Juston Seyfert's life is changing faster than he could have ever dreamed. But it's not just acne and algebra tests that this high school sophomore has to cope with... Juston has a secret bigger than anyone in his hometown of Antigo, Wisconsin, could possibly have imagined: He's discovered the battle-ravaged remains of a Sentinel – a gigantic mutant-hunting robot built by the government – in his family's junkyard and has used his prodigious technical skills to put the mechanical marauder back together! Collects SENTINEL #6-12.

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MARVEL AGE MARY JANE VOL. 1: CIRCLE OF FRIENDS DIGEST

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Pencils & Cover by TAKESHI MIYAZAWA

Whether she's going to school or hanging out with her friends at the Coffee Bean, Mary Jane Watson is always the life of the party. But what no one knows is that this gorgeous redhead's exuberant personality is a shell designed to make her forget about life's harsh realities. From her social life to her undying interest in becoming an actress to her crush on that costumed crime-fighter who swings along the New York City rooftops, it's clear that Mary Jane just wants to escape Join MJ, Harry Osborn, Liz Allen, Flash Thompson and Harry's nerdy friend, Peter Parker, as they experience the thrilling highs and the crushing lows of high-school existence in this new teen drama! Collects MARVEL AGE MARY JANE #1-4

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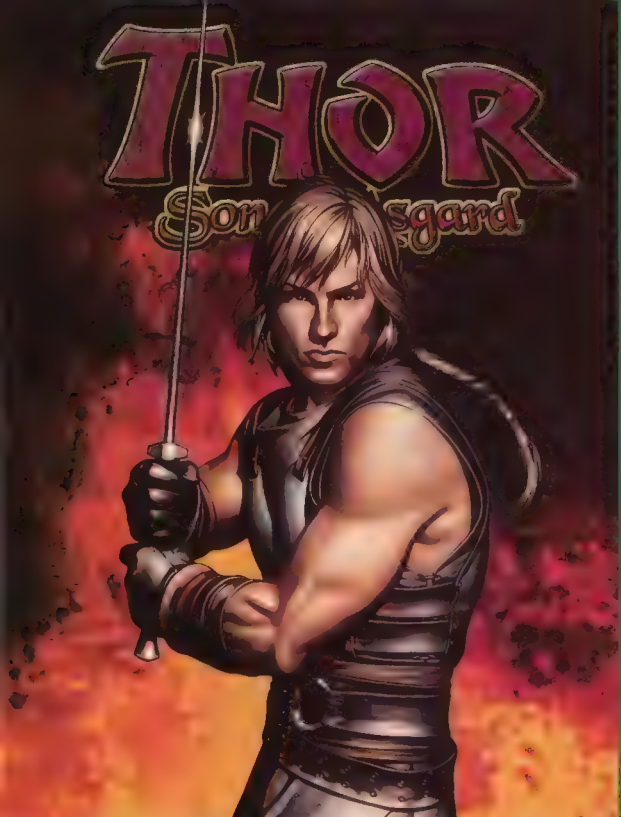

THOR: SON OF ASGARD VOL. 1: THE WARRIORS TEEN DIGEST
Written by AKIRA YOSHIDA
Penciled by GREG TOCCHINI
Cover by ADI GRANOV

Explore the early years of the God of Thunder in this brand-new adventure full of Marvel myth and magic! Join young Thor and his godly companions, Balder and Sif, as they travel the mystical land of Asgard on a quest of cosmic proportions. When Odin, the All-Father, sends his favorite son to gather four mystical elements that he will use to craft a powerful new weapon, not even Ragnarok will be able to stop the boy who would be king! Collects THOR: SON OF ASGARD #1-6!

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AVENGERS #503
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"AVENGERS DISASSEMBLED" PART 4 (OF 4)
The shocking double-sized conclusion to the comic event of the year! The Avengers come face to face with the enemy that destroyed them and nothing will ever be the same again. A story so big, a regular-sized comic could not contain it! The last page cameo will have the comic world talking for years!
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CAPTAIN AMERICA & THE FALCON #8

Written by PRIEST

Pencils & Cover by JOE BENNETT

"BROTHERS & KEEPERS (ADELPHOITE PHYLAXES)" PART 1 (OF 5)

Haunted by his personal failures, Captain America comes to suspect that he has been under psychological attack from the rogue Navy Intelligence unit that created the so-called "Anti-Cap" Super Sailor, when he discovers a direct link between this shadow group and the deadly killing machine M.O.D.O.K. But, are they running M O D O.K or is M.O.D.O.K. running them? To find out, Cap has no choice but to turn to the only person who actually knows—the Anti-Cap himself! Meanwhile, The Falcon has gone on the offensive, shutting down the Rivas drug cartel. But there is a line between heroism and vigilantism, and Robbie Robertson fears the Falcon has crossed it and may never find his way back.

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FANTASTIC FOUR #519

Written by MARK WAID
Pencils & Cover by
MIKE WIERINGO
AVENGERS DISASSEMBLED TIE-IN!
"FOURTITUDE" FINALE! PART 3 (OF 3)
Galactus the World-Eater is coming to Earth to choose one of the Fantastic Four as his new herald —but which one? The consequences of his choice will set the tone and scope of the series, as our Galactus saga unfolds in full next month!
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CAPTAIN AMERICA #32

Written by ROBERT KIRKMAN
Penciled by SCOT EATON
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AVENGERS DISASSEMBLED TIE-IN!
PART 4 (OF 4)
After months of careful planning, the Red Skull makes his move. Captain America and his old sparring partner are in for the most grueling battle they've ever had. The Red Skull has had some help from a certain rebel faction inside S.H.I.E.L.D. and he now has strength and agility that greatly overshadow the fighting prowess of our star-spangled hero. This issue is not to be missed!
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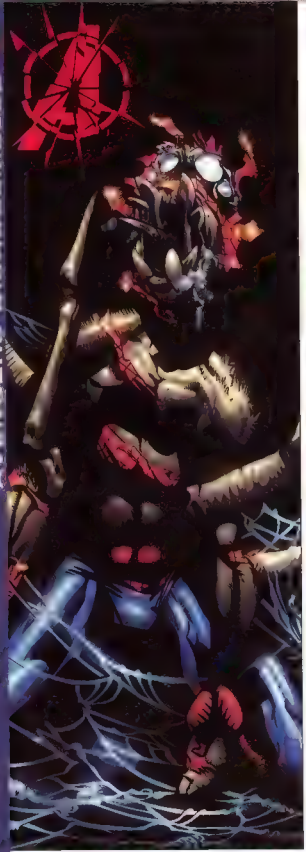

SPECTACULAR SPIDER-MAN #20
Written by PAUL JENKINS
Penciled by PACO MEDINA
Cover by HUMBERTO RAMOS
AVENGERS DISASSEMBLED TIE-IN!
PART 4 (OF 4)
At his lowest ebb, struggling to hold onto the last vestige of the humanity buried deep inside him, Spidey is lent a helping hand by one of Earth's Mightiest Heroes!
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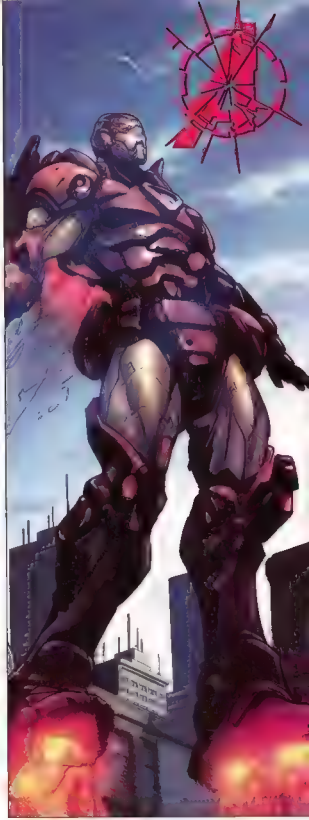

IRON MAN #88
Written by MARK RICKETTS
Penciled by TONY HARRIS
Cover by PAT LEE
AVENGERS DISASSEMBLED TIE-IN!
"THE SINGULARITY" CONCLUSION! PART 4 (OF 4)
The battle rages on between Iron Man and his doppelganger, but only one of them can remain standing. And even the victor is under threat of extinction. As "The Singularity" concludes, a new chapter in the Iron Man saga begins
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THOR #85

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Penciled by ANDREA DI VITO
Cover by STEVE EPTING
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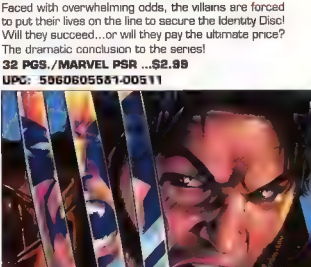

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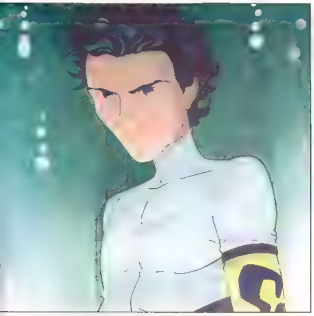

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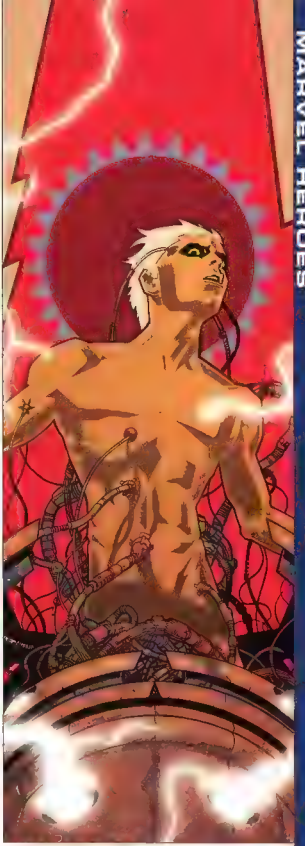

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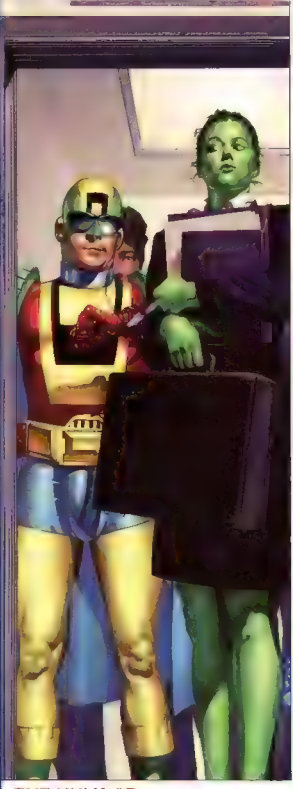

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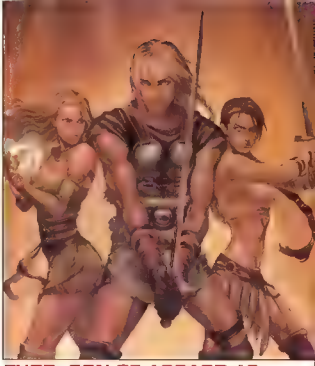

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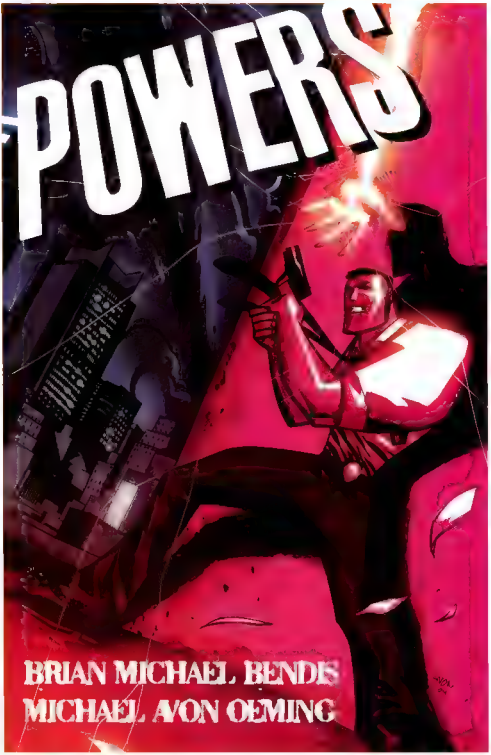

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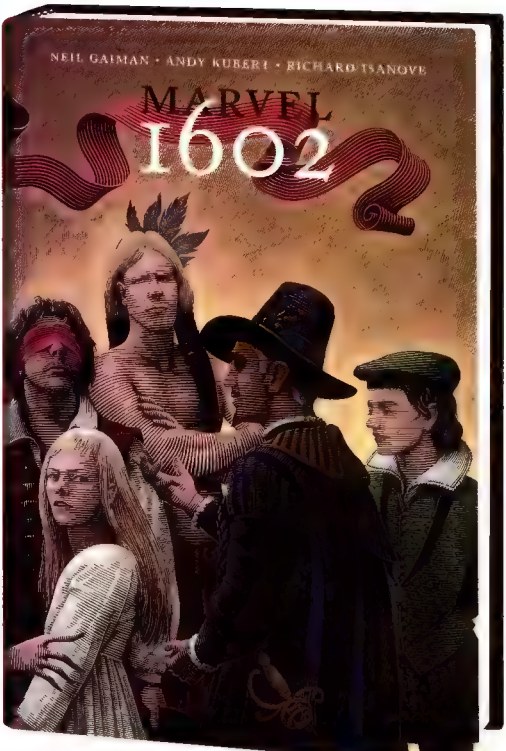

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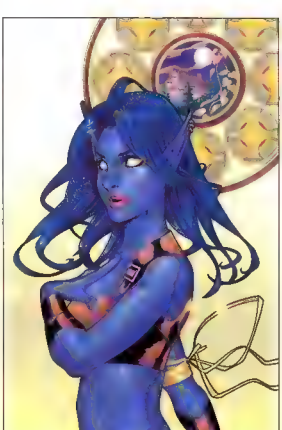

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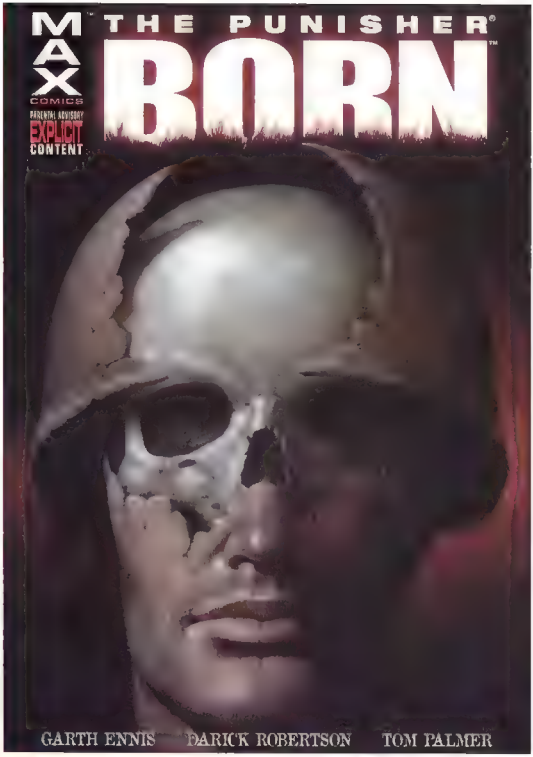

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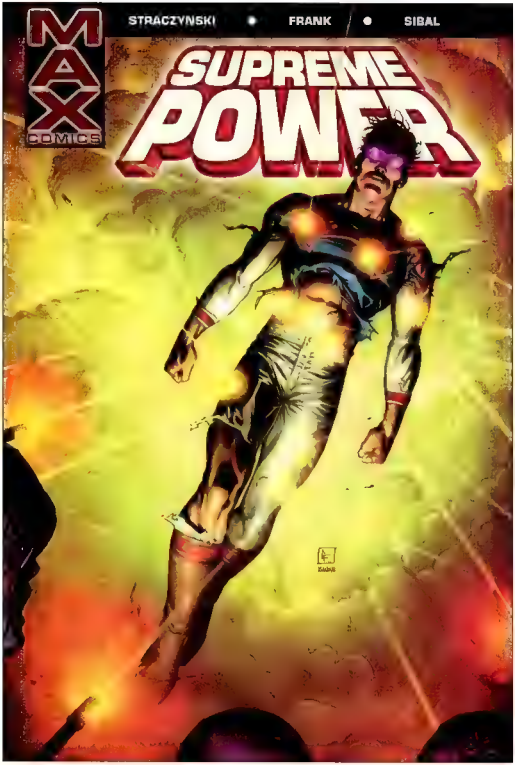

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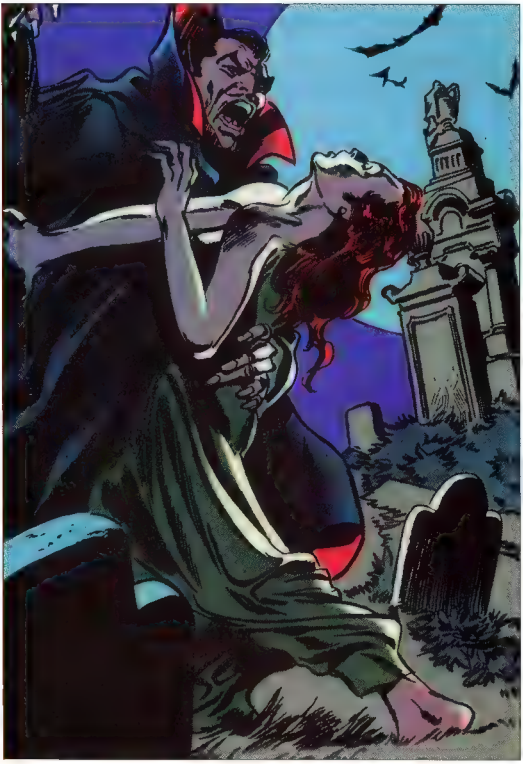

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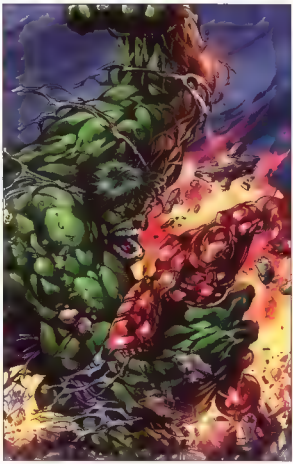

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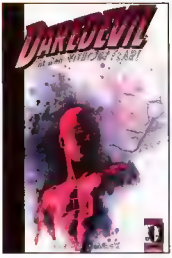

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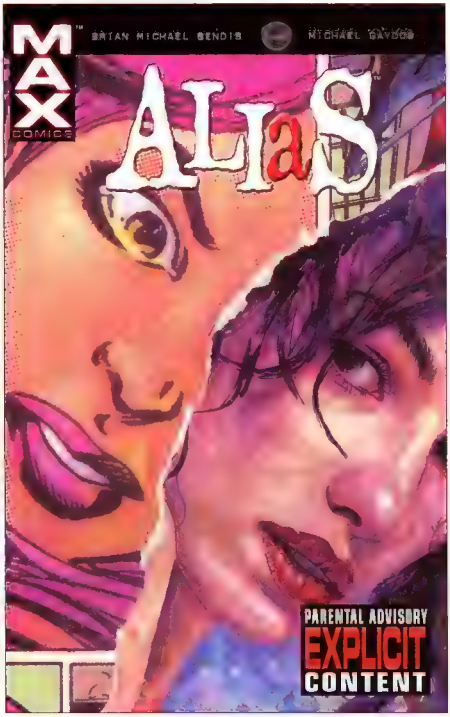

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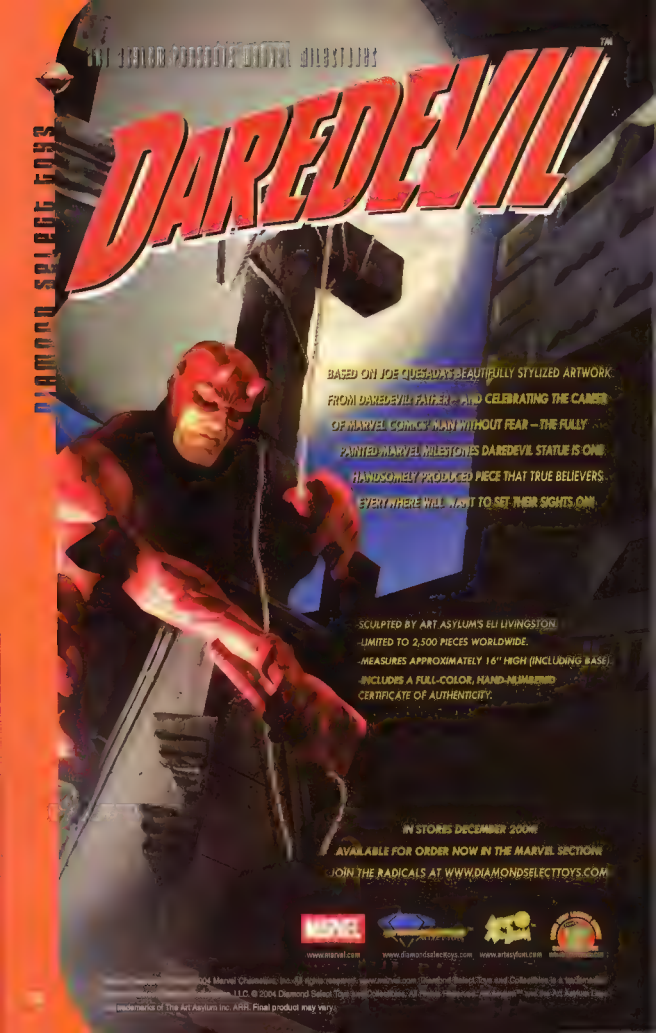
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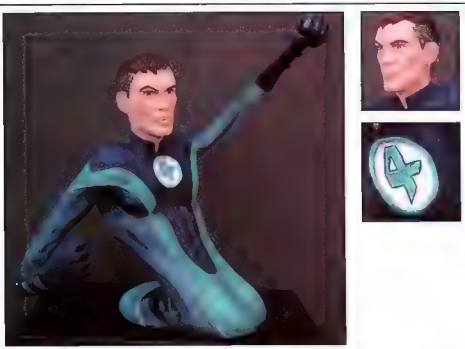

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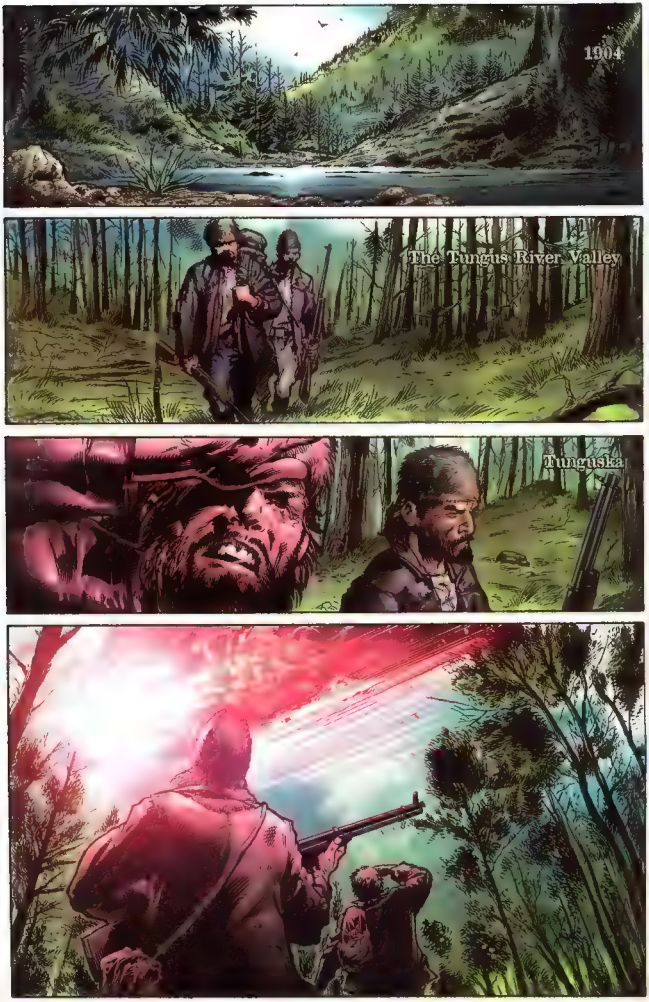
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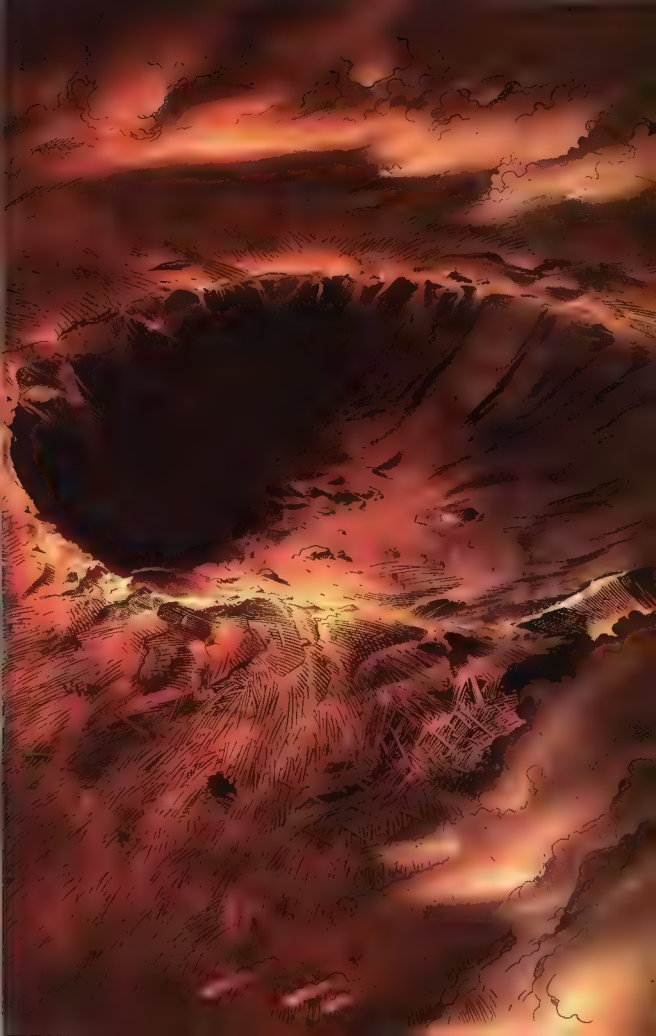
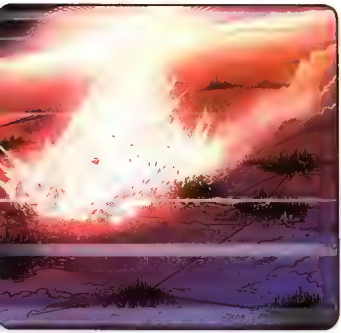


2004
Yo! Something wrong with the telly!
I've told you a million times, my name isn't Yo, I'm your mother and I don't fix televisions.
I'm missing the Posh Spice video!
You ought to write them a letter to thank them, then.
And I've got to tell you, I might not be with it any more, but I don't think white girls from North London get to say "Yo".
Change the channel. Maybe the cable box is up the spout again.
Oh, thanks, dude.
I'll give Uncle Ray a ring, he might know how to fix it.
It was Uncle Ray who spilled beer in it in the first place.
That MTV Europe's rubbish anyway. I like VH-1.
You would. You're like a hundred years old.
Hold on Something's coming on.



Jeez! Mum, that's horrible.
Must be that heavy-metal music channel-- they shouldn't show things like that in the middle of the day.

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It's horrible! They sound like babies! Mum, make it stop!
I can't!
God, it's like the sound of babies dying!

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no escape
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and there's no escape
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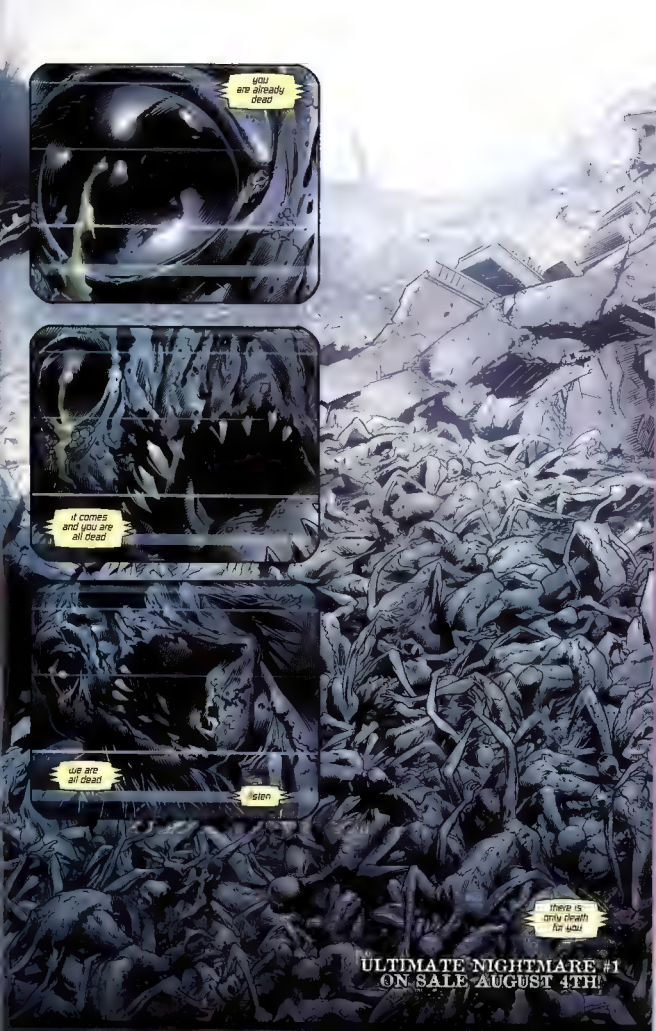
all the stars go out



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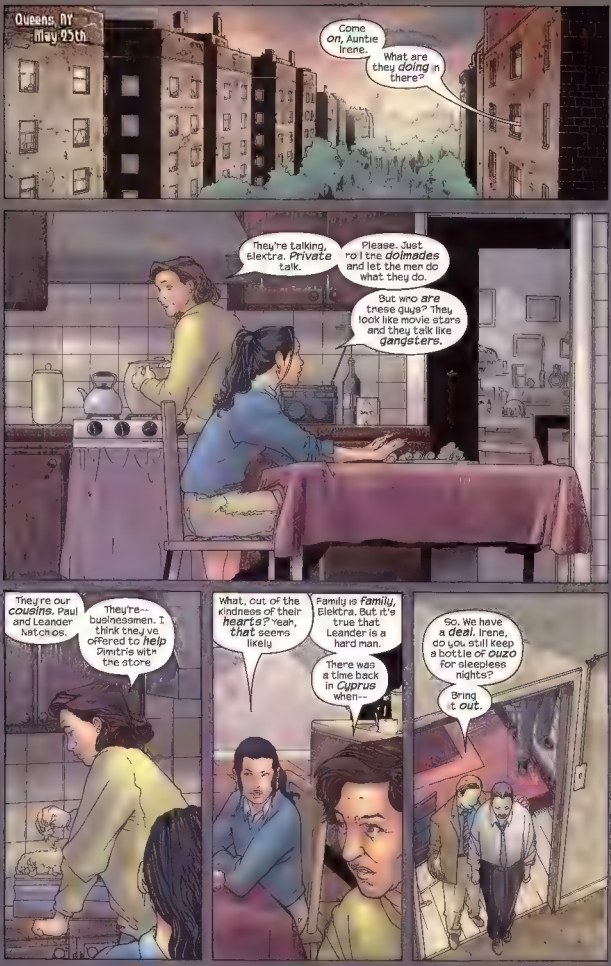
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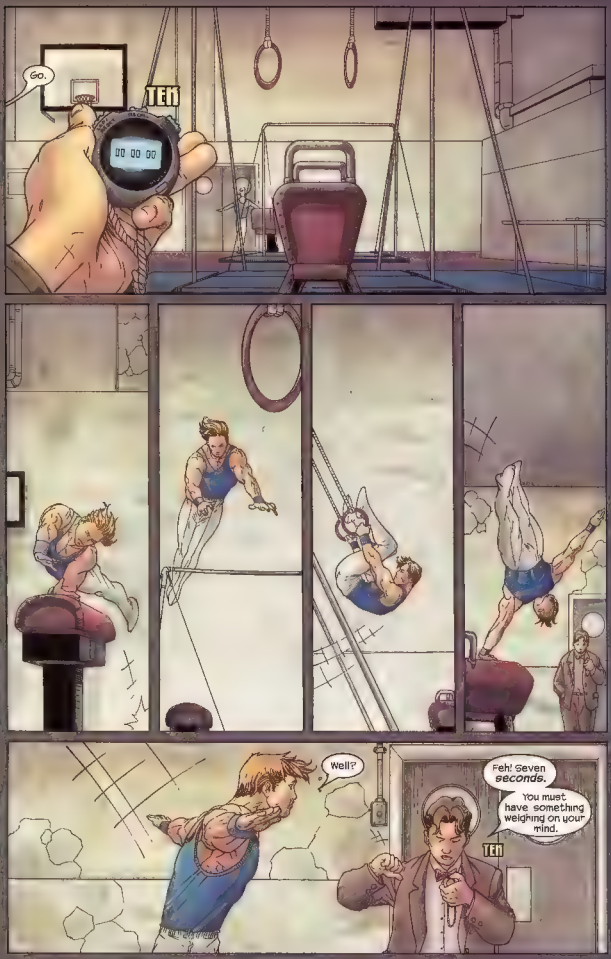
May 25th
Come on, Auntie Irene.
What are they doing in there?
They're talking, Elektra. Private talk.
Please. Just roll the dolmades and let the men do what they do.
But who are these guys? They look like movie stars and they talk like gangsters.
They're our cousins. Paul and Leander Natchos.
They're-- businessmen. I think they've offered to help Dimitris with the store
What, out of the kindness of their hearts? Yeah, that seems likely
Family is family, Elektra. But it's true that Leander is a hard man.
There was a time back in Cyprus when--
So. We have a deal. Irene, do you still keep a bottle of ouzo for sleepless nights?
Bring it out.

Living like this, Dimitrie, it wasn't fair to anyone.
It isn't how a man would choose to live.
So. We'll drink to you becoming a man again.
And a partner in our enterprises
And this is Elektra. Hah! She's grown up beautiful.
Also quiet. That's a rare gift in a woman
So. Repairs on the store can begin tomorrow.
That's wonderful! And the repayment on the loan. I believe I can manage at least--
Hush! We won't talk about that tonight
All in good time, cousin.
All in good time.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Well?
Feh! Seven seconds.
You must have something weighing on your mind.
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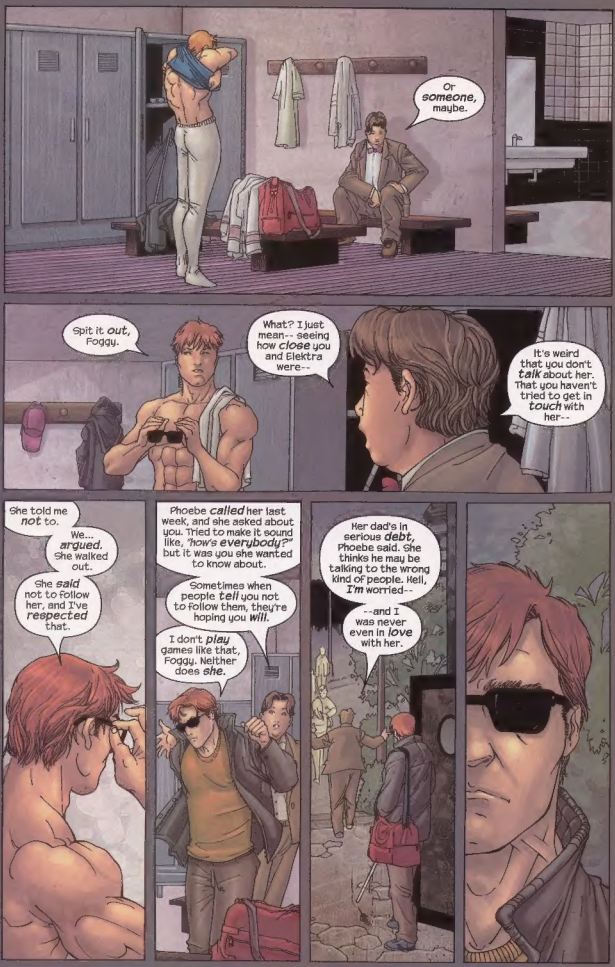
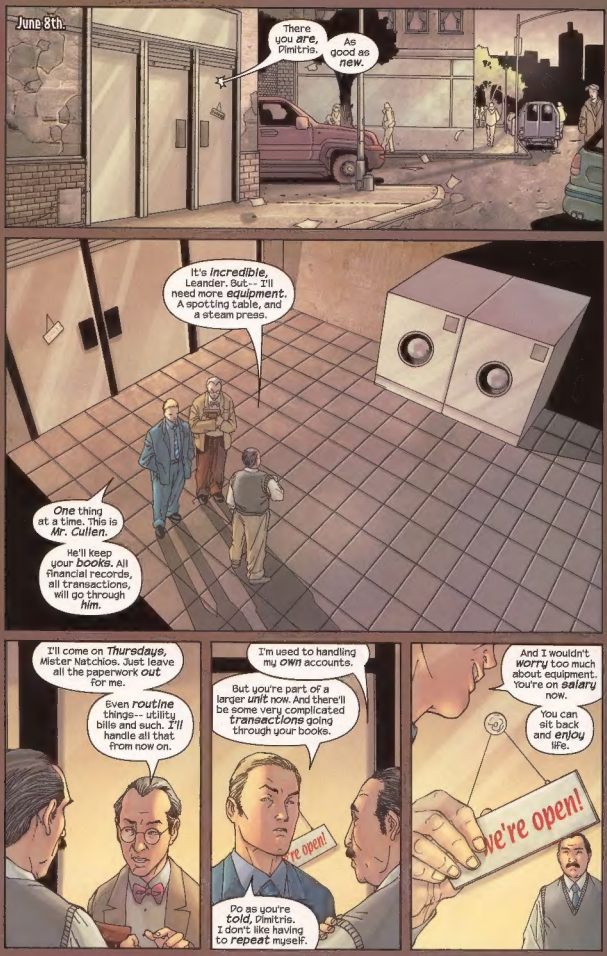

Or someone, maybe.
Spit it out, Foggy.
What? I just mean-- seeing how close you and Elektra were--
It's weird that you don't talk about her. That you haven't tried to get in touch with her--
She told me not to.
We... argued. She walked out.
She said not to follow her, and I've respected that.
Phoebe called her last week, and she asked about you. Tried to make it sound like, "how's everybody?" but it was you she wanted to know about.
Sometimes when people tell you not to follow them, they're hoping you will.
I don't play games like that, Foggy. Neither does she.
Her dad's in serious debt, Phoebe said. She thinks he may be talking to the wrong kind of people. Hell, I'm worried--
--and I was never even in love with her.


June 8th.
There you are, Dimitris.
As good as new.
It's incredible, Leander. But-- I'll need more equipment. A spotting table, and a steam press.
One thing at a time. This is Mr. Cullen.
He'll keep your books. All financial records, all transactions, will go through him.
I'll come on Thursdays, Mister Natchios. Just leave all the paperwork out for me.
Even routine things-- utility bills and such. I'll handle all that from now on.
I'm used to handling my own accounts.
But you're part of a larger unit now. And there'll be some very complicated transactions going through your books.
Do as you're told, Dimitris. I don't like having to repeat myself.
And I wouldn't worry too much about equipment. You're on salary now.
You can sit back and enjoy life.
We're open!

Well just tell them no.
Tell them you've changed your mind.
Elektra, I can't. I've already accepted the loan.
Then give it back.
And their names. Their names are on the deed.
At least I'll have the money now for you to finish out your college.
And I'll be able to pay Irene back for all she's done for us.
I can work through college, poppa!
But still-- we can't go on like this forever.
And I've committed myself to this.
Things will work out for the best.
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